<u>Amendment A</u>

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Please amend the claims as follows:

1(once amended). A set of golf clubs comprising a plurality of adjacently sequenced golf clubs, wherein a first golf club in the set has a club length at least about 0.6 inches longer than a second adjacent golf club in the set, and further wherein a third golf club in the set has a club length which is less than 0.6 inches longer than a fourth adjacent golf club in the set.

2(once amended). The set of golf clubs of claim 1 wherein the first golf club in the set has a club length <u>no more than about</u> [between about 0.6 inches and] 1 inch longer than the second adjacent golf club in the set.

4(once amended). The set of golf clubs of claim 1 further comprising a <u>fifth</u> [third] golf club in the set, the first, second and <u>fifth</u> [third] golf clubs being respectively sequentially adjacent to one another, and wherein the second golf club has a club length <u>which is greater than 0.72</u> [at least about 0.6] inches longer than the <u>fifth</u> [third] golf club.

8(once amended). The set of golf clubs of claim 4 wherein the second golf club has a lie angle at least about 0.6 degrees less than the <u>fifth</u> [third] golf club.

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9(once amended). The set of golf clubs of claim 8 wherein the second golf club has a lie angle about 0.75 degrees less than the <u>fifth</u> [third] golf club.

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13(once amended). The set of golf clubs of claim 8 wherein the second golf club has a club head weight of at least about 9 grams less than the <u>fifth</u> [third] golf club.

14(once amended). The set of golf clubs of claim 7 wherein the second golf club has a club head weight of at least about 9 grams less than the <u>fifth</u> [third] golf club.

15(once amended). A set of golf clubs comprising a plurality of alternating sequential adjacent golf clubs, wherein a first golf club in the set has a club length at least about 1.2 inches longer than a second alternating sequential adjacent golf club in the set, and further wherein a third golf club in the set has a club length which is less than 1.2 inches longer than a fourth adjacent golf club in the set.

16(once amended). The set of golf clubs of claim 15 wherein the first golf club in the set is no more than about [has a club length between about 1.2 inches and] 2 inches longer than the second alternating sequential adjacent golf club in the set.

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Please add the following new claims:

22. The set of golf clubs of claim 1 and wherein the set of clubs comprises at least 12 golf clubs, and does not include a putter.

- 23. The set of golf clubs of claim 22 and wherein the first golf club in the set has a club length which is greater than 0.72 inches longer than the second golf club in the set.
- 24. The set of golf clubs of claim 15 and wherein the set of clubs comprises at least 6 golf clubs, and does not include a putter.
- 25. The set of golf clubs of claim 24 and wherein the first golf club in the set has a club length which is greater than 1.42 inches longer than the second golf club in the set.

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